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**A Report On**

**ALVA'S VIRASAT**

**ACADEMIC YEAR 2018**



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All the faculty members, non teaching staffs and students of AIET are hereby informed to attend the inaugural function of "Alva's VIRASAT 2018" to be held on 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2018 at Smt. Vanajakshi K Shripati Bhat Vedike, Vivekananda Nagara, Puttige, Moodbidire, Dakshina Kannada.

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## **Alva's VIRASAT 2018**

The annual national cultural festival “Alva's Virasat-2018” opened here on Friday on a colorful note, showcasing the rich cultural traditions of India. Clad in Poothaniya gear, Ranjith of Karkala led the procession by spitting fire from his mouth. He was followed by Kadane, Garnaal, Poothani, Kombu, Kahale, Kingkong, Kerala Chande, Kundapur Dolu, Nagaswara, Saxophone, Chande and Shankha. After inaugurating the 24th edition of Alva's Virasat, Nagaland Governor P B Acharya opined ‘Virasat is the cultural legacy of India, a country rich in art, dance and literature and the role of educational institutions is crucial in propagating it further. Educational institutions aren't just centers of knowledge, but a powerhouse of development and the students are the nodal agents to carry forward these ideals. Alva's is one such institution that merges education and culture, therefore preserving it’.

“In ‘NAMASTE’, we find all the eight North Eastern states- Nagaland, Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram, Manipur, Meghalaya, Sikkim and Tripura”, said the governor thereby giving a musical and a pleasant way to remember the North Eastern frontier of our country. A feeling of pride is created by Alva's due to its proactive initiatives to inculcate the rich culture of the eight pillars.

“Strengthening the mainland and empowering the empowered must not be the agenda; wake up and change your mind set for India has the capacity to provide manpower to the whole world”, said Mr Acharya. He lauded the efforts undertaken by Alva's Education Foundation nurturing and preserving the unique cultural diversity of North East by adopting students from that region. The students must be an asset who will strengthen the North East through education and treating them as their own fellows. “There is a lack of emotional integration in India.” South Canara and Udupi regions, being the forefront, are striving to achieve national integration.

The most coveted Virasat Award 2018 was conferred to the distinguished classical vocalist musical duo, Padmabhushan Pandit Rajan & Sajan Mishra. A classic tribute of Devaranama by the child prodigy, Sooryagayathri was presented in their honor. “Love is spread to all through music”, said Pandit Rajan Mishra in reply to their felicitation. Presiding over the Alva's Virasat – 2018, Sri Kshetra Dharmasthala Dharmadhikari Dr D Veerendra Hegde said, “Dr M Mohan Alva has successfully created Moodbidri as the cultural capital of our country. Alva's Education Foundation is a representative of India in every sense where all the students are the citizens of one nation sans any barriers of caste, religion, language, culture. To build a nation we must forgo hate and achieve unity and equality with respect to opportunity. Educational institutions are needed to create such opportunities for the youth so they bloom to become ambassadors of our heritage. Love, respect and affection for all is the need of the hour.” He hailed the esteemed chairman Dr M Mohan Alva as an inspiration in this aspect.



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### **ALVA'S VIRASAT – 2018**

Thus, this marks the beginning of yet another event filled with fun, fervour and the stage shared by maestros is all set to be unfurled for the enlightenment of the audience's senses. Alva's Education Foundation Chairman Dr M Mohan Alva, Moodbidri MLA K Abhayachanda Jain and entrepreneur K Sripati Bhat, MP Nalin Kumar Kateel, MLC Ganesh Karnik, District Commissioner S Sasikanth Senthil were present on the occasion.

### **Alva's Virasat Photos**



**Inauguration of Virasat 2018 by lighting lamp**





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**Inauguration of Virasat 2018**



**Guest Addressing Virasat 2018**



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**Speech by Dignitaries at Virasat 2018**



**Prize Distribution by Chairman of AEF Dr. Mohan Alva to Performer**





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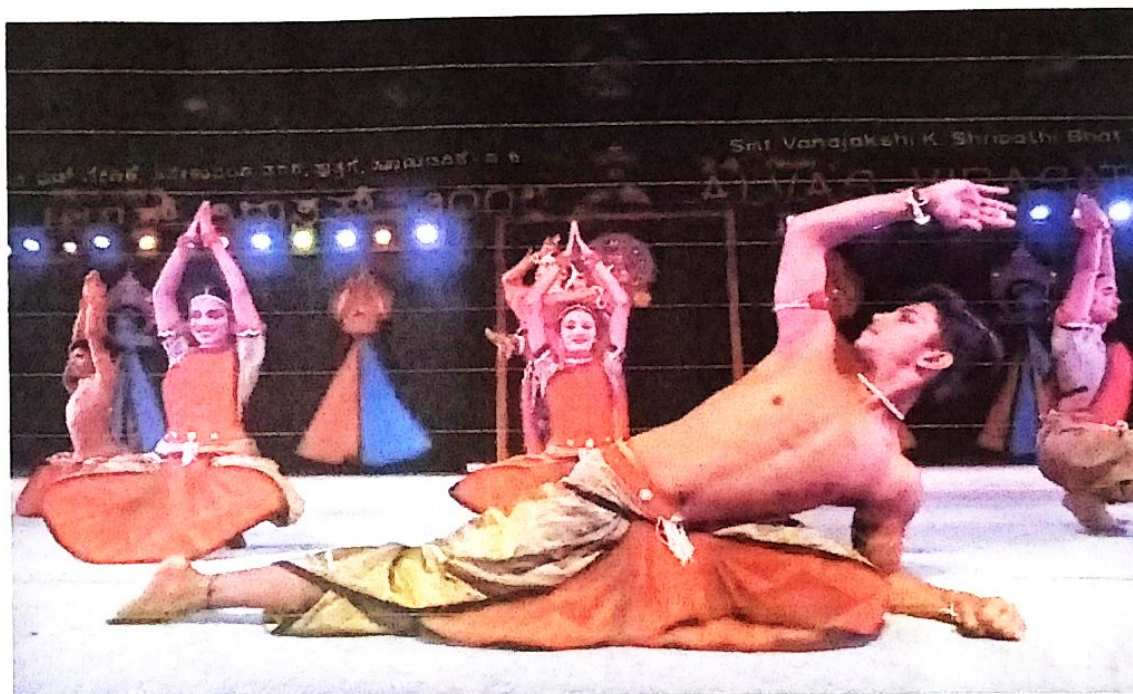


**Dance Performance at Virasat 2018**



**Glimpses of Photos at Alvas Virasat 2018**





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“Alva’s Virasat” is organised by AEF in association with AIET with the motto of fostering the musical, artistic and cultural interests among the students. Besides, it is an immense opportunity to the civilians of Moodbidri to witness and enjoy the rare moments of the performances by the world-famous musicians and artists. About 600 students and staffs participated in the event. ‘Alva’s Varna Virasat 2018’, a mega exhibition of artistic and sculptural talents is held during Alva’s Virasat every year. The professional artistes of national and international fame, participate in this mega event and showcase their artistic skills

  
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